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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 6, 2007, Applicant respectfully request reconsideration of the application and withdrawal of the rejections are in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.